



Hamble C Aforth PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Docket No: Q65782

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Appln. No.: 09/923,536

Group Art Unit: 2876

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Examiner: Edwyn Labaze

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For: CARD VERIFICATION SYSTEM AND CARD VERIFICATION METHOD

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 30, 2003, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

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